

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
TYLER DIVISION

STATE OF TEXAS,  
*Plaintiff,*

v.

XAVIER BECERRA, Secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services, in his official capacity; UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES; JEFF HILD, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for the Administration for Children and Families; ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES; REBECCA JONES GASTON, Commissioner of the Administration on Children, Youth and Families, and Acting Associate Commissioner of the Children's Bureau, in her official capacity; ADMINISTRATION ON CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES; CHILDREN'S BUREAU; and the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*Defendants.*

No. 6:24-cv-00348-JDK

**PROPOSED ORDER**

Before the Court is Plaintiff's Motion for a Stay of the challenged rule (*Designated Placement Requirements Under Titles IV-E and IV-B for LGBTQI+ Children*, 89 Fed. Reg. 34,818 (Apr. 30, 2024)). Having considered the pleadings, arguments of counsel, and the applicable law, Plaintiff's motion is **GRANTED**.

IT IS **ORDERED**, pending further order of the Court, that the challenged rule's effective date is postponed under 5 U.S.C. § 705.